(*b*) The opening of a canal from Kottenkottuvalavu chira has been taken up for execution this year.

(*c*) & (*d*) Attempts are being made to choose from the works suggested by the Board those which can advantageously be included in the budget for 1117.

(*e*) Yes.

(*f*) Minor irrigation works are to be attended to by the Panchayat Department.

ERNAKULAM BOAT JETTY ROAD JUNCTION—MOTOR ACCIDENT—INQUIRY REGARDING

350. മിസ്റ്റർ ബി. എം. പീറർ : താഴെ പറയുന്ന ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്കു് ഗവൺമെണ്ടു് ദയവായി മറുപടി പറയുമോ.—

(എ) കഴിഞ്ഞ ജൂലാമാസം 24-ാംനു് എറണാകുളം ബോട്ടുജട്ടിയുടെ മുൻവശത്തുള്ള ബ്രോഡ്വെയിൽവെച്ചു് Rev. Fr. Paul Arakkal-നു സംഭവിച്ച കാറപകടത്തെപ്പറ്റി ഗവൺമെണ്ടു് അന്വേഷിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ;

(ബി) ഏതു കാറാണു് ഈ അനിഷ്ട സംഭവത്തിനു കാരണമെന്നറിയാമോ;

(സി) സംഭവത്തിൻെറശേഷം ഉടൻ വൈദ്യസഹായം ചെയ്യേണ്ടതിലേക്കു ടി കാറുകാർ ഉദ്യമിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ;

(ഡി) അപകടം സംഭവിച്ചു് എത്ര സമയം കഴിഞ്ഞാണു് അദ്ദേഹത്തെ ആശുപത്രിയിൽ എത്തിച്ചതെന്നു പറയാമോ;

(ഇ) വൈദ്യസഹായത്തിനു നേരിട്ട താമസമാണു് മരണകാരണമെന്നു് ബഹുമാനപ്പെട്ട ഗവൺമെണ്ടു് മനസ്സിലാക്കീട്ടുണ്ടോ;

(എഫ്) ആശുപത്രിയിൽ എത്തിച്ചു് എത്ര സമയം കഴിഞ്ഞാണു് മരണം സംഭവിച്ചതു്;

(ജി) മരിച്ചു് എത്ര സമയം കഴിഞ്ഞാണു് മൃതദേഹം അദ്ദേഹത്തിൻെറ ആൾക്കാർക്കു വിട്ടുകൊടുത്തതു്?

റാവുബഹദൂർ എം. നാരായണ മേനോൻ :

(എ) to (ജി) ഈ സംഗതി കോടതിവിചാരണയിൽ ഇരിക്കുന്നതിനാൽ ഉത്തരം പറയുവാൻ നിവൃത്തിയില്ല.

RE-ARRANGEMENT OF BUSINESS

Mr. President : Now, according to the notification already issued, today is allotted for non-official business. Uuder Standing Order 6 (1), the Diwan may from time to time during the meeting alter such allotment and on these days such business shall have precedence. As the House is aware the consideration of the Kuri Bill has to be completed today and so I have to alter the allotment. But if the House really thinks that they are being prevented from transacting non-official business to which they are legitimately entitled and if there is general desire, I have no objection to allow the sitting to continue on Saturday also.

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Mr. V. J. Mathai *(Planters):* Sir, there are some non-official Bills which we consider to be of very great importance from the interests of the public. Therefore, we would be very glad if sufficient time is given for non-official business.

Dr. A. R. Menon *(Minister for Rural Development):* The Kuri Bill may be taken up now and the discussion continued till it is over. Anyhow the third reading of the Bill will be over tomorrow, and then we can decide as to whether a day more should be allotted for non-official business or not.

Mr. President : We will decide it tomorrow.

GOVERNMENT BILL

The Cochin Kuries Bill—*(cont.)*

Clause 24—*(cont.)*

In sub-clause (5) delete the word "future" between the words "to" and "prize-winners" and delete between the words "the amount" and "may be" the words "of subscription payable in respect of the ticket for each instalment" and add at the end of the sub-clause: "or for any other investment in the manner specified in sub-section (2)".

[Messrs. A. L. Antony, K. Kochukunhan Kaimal and C. R. Iyyunni]

In clause 24, sub-clause (5) delete between the words "to" and "prize-winners" and delete between the words "he amount" and "may be" the words "of subscription payable in respect of the ticket for each instalment" and add at the end of the sub-clause: "or for any other investment in the manner specified in sub-section (2)".

[Mr. P. K. Madhava Menon]

In clause 24, sub-clause (5) add at the end of the sub-clause "or for any other investment in the manner specified in sub-section (2)."

[Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty]

Mr. M. Sivarama Menon *(Advocate-General):* Sir, the next three Amendments relate to the same sub-section. The amendment of Mr. Krishnankutty relates only to one point. When consolidated collections are received, the foremen are allowed to deposit it in the Treasury, or in the bank or in approved securities. When once the deposit is made under sub-sections (2), (3) and (4), it can only be withdrawn for the payment of subscriptions in respect of each future instalment. There is no objection to accept the amendment of Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty because what the amendment says is only that an opportunity should be given to the foremen to withdraw the amounts once deposited, for investment in approved securities thereafter. The amendment of Mr. Antony and others covers this aspect

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